

SOCIAL AND OTHER INTERESTS OF WOMEN

Society

Mr. and Mrs. Max Livingston will entertain with a family dinner Sunday at their home on E. Jefferson boulevard in celebration of Mr. Livingston's 50th birthday anniversary. Covers will be placed for 22. Among the guests will be several relatives from out of the city. Miss Madeline Livingston and Lester Livingston will return from Chicago for the occasion.

The "Fellowcraft" club is the unique name selected by a number of young men of South Bend who met Friday evening in the lobby at the Y. M. C. A. to complete the organization of a new dancing club. The board of directors was selected and Jan. 2 set as the date for the first dancing party. It will be held in American hall and will be followed by informal parties on alternate Friday evenings throughout the season. All the affairs will be held in American hall except the closing event which will be a ball at the Oliver hotel. The club now has 65 members but will raise its membership to 75. The board of directors includes Messrs. Ernest Staples, Paul MacDonald, Charles Guthrie, Paul Rumpf, William Laven and Ernest Jansco.

The Frances Willard W. C. T. U. met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hattie Beaver, 114 W. Broadway. Mrs. William Edison led the devotional exercises which were followed by a business meeting after which Miss Margaret Parker, superintendent of Epworth hospital and Miss Bessie Graham spoke in behalf of the campaign for funds which the hospital is waging.

According to the report of the treasurer given during the business meeting the society expended \$30 in its Thanksgiving work for the poor. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostesses assisted by Mrs. S. C. Lehman. The next meeting will be the second Friday of January at the home of Mrs. Cecil Franklin, 510 Hancey av.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Unger, 233 S. Carroll st., announce the engagement of their daughter, Irene, to Frank Slutsky of Indianapolis. The date for the wedding has not been set.

Invitations to the holiday Pan Hellenic prom which will be one of the brilliant events of the holiday season were issued Wednesday to the Greek letter men of the city. The affair will take place Dec. 30 in American hall and the program of dances will be played by Brownell's full orchestra of Benton Harbor.

A university club for South Bend has for a long time been the object aimed at by the members of the Pan Hellenic association and it is hoped, will be the outgrowth of the holiday ball. The committee on arrangements includes Dr. A. R. Meesick, Clyde Haeske, Harry Wheelock, Miller Hamilton and Elmer Peak.

The Benedict club enjoyed a winter picnic Friday evening in American hall. Thirty-five couples attended all in summer apparel and the supper was served from picnic baskets. The entertaining committee included Mr. and Mrs. Edgar France, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Whitehall and Mr. and Mrs. W. K. McHenry. The next club event will be a formal Christmas party Dec. 25. The committee at that time will be Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Sibley and Mr. and Mrs. Will Sibley.

SOCIAL CLUBS

The Norman Eddy Sewing circle met Friday afternoon in G. A. R. hall and made arrangements for a chicken supper to be held Dec. 20.

Members of the Mayflower club were guests Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Wooster, 415 S. Franklin st. They made up two tables at cards and the favors went to Mrs. William Schaefer, Mrs. Edwin Stauffer and Mrs. John Kissinger. The next meeting of the club has been postponed until some time in January when it will be held at the home of Mrs. Frank Slaybaugh, corner of Broadway and Marietta sts.

The Nonpareil club was entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. J. Kreuzberger, 606 Port-

Hard Candies for Christmas

BY MRS. EMILY RIESENBERG.

Candy made in your own kitchen gives the assurance of being composed of good material, clean and wholesome, at a smaller cost than any but the very poorest commercial product. If there are any children in the home let them take part in these holiday preparations; it will instill neatness, accuracy and foster a sense of responsibility to be allowed to share the work.

PULLED MOLASSES CANDY.

Ingredients—Two cups New Orleans molasses, one-half cup light brown sugar, four tablespoons cider vinegar, one-half teaspoon butter, one-half teaspoon soda.

Method—Place molasses, sugar and vinegar in saucepan and cook without undue stirring until a little dropped into cold water hardens; then add the butter and soda, dissolved in a little cold water. As soon as the butter is melted pour mixture into a buttered platter or flat tin. When the mixture can be handled without burning the hands take up small portions with well-buttered fingers and begin to pull rapidly. If handled dexterously, the candy can be pulled until very light and brittle. It is best for several persons to be on hand to pull, so candy will not get too hard, and sometimes two persons can pull on one strand. As soon as candy is hard and light pull into a nice even strand, then cut into short lengths; or coil on a buttered plate and chip off in uneven pieces.

CREAM CANDY.

Ingredients—Two cups granulated sugar, one cup water, one teaspoon

age av. Contests were a feature of the afternoon and favors were won by Mrs. Ralph Method and Mrs. L. A. Lydiek. The next meeting of the club will be Dec. 26 at the home of Mrs. Fred Wagner.

Mrs. Barney Swartz, Jr., 211 E. Calvert st., entertained the Ideal Embroidery club Thursday afternoon. Luncheon was served at a daintily appointed table at which covers were placed for 22. The next meeting will be Jan. 2 at the home of Mrs. Frank Smith, of May st.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The executive committee of the St. Joseph county W. C. T. U. will hold a called meeting Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Y. W. C. A.

The O. E. S. auxiliary will be entertained Friday afternoon in the Masonic club rooms. The hostesses will be Mesdames Hattie Wright, Jessie Smith, Rose Kerner and Carrie Wittmer.

PERSONALS

Miss Sallie Davenport of Olympia, Wash., who has been the guest of Miss Carrie Rein returned to her home at noon today.

Mrs. Anna Swartz of Walkerton, formerly of South Bend, who has been visiting friends here, has returned home.

Mrs. J. E. McFarland and daughter, Vivian, of Cleveland, O., are guests of Mrs. McFarland's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Parker, 1811 S. Michigan av.

Mrs. I. H. Seoffern, 1209 Woodward av., who has been visiting in Jackson, Miss., and other points, has returned home.

CHURCH AFFAIRS

Mrs. C. L. Fortin, 512 Rush st., entertained Mrs. F. A. Marsh's Sunday school class Friday afternoon at a pleasant dinner. A dainty luncheon was served. The class will meet again in January.

The Business Girls' chapter of the Westminster guild met Thursday evening with Miss Almira Renas at the home of Mrs. Crawford Staples. Several business matters were disposed of and a social hour enjoyed by the twelve young women present. The next meeting is to be held at the home

of gum arabic, one-half teaspoon cream of tartar.

Method—Dissolve the gum arabic in the water, add the sugar and cream of tartar, then place in saucepan and stir over a slow fire until sugar is melted; then cook until syrup, if dropped in cold water is past the stage of forming a soft ball, but not off any crystals that form on sides of pan, so sugar will not granulate. Pour candy on buttered platters and as soon as it can be handled, pull as directed for molasses candy. This candy can be flavored with any desired flavoring and pink vegetable coloring may be added to give it a rose color.

PLAIN BUTTER SCOTCH.

Slowly melt two cups of granulated sugar over a slow fire—an iron spider and coal fire is best. The syrup must become liquid and a golden color; as soon as it has reached that stage add one tablespoon of butter and pour into buttered tin. Pour rather thin and when cold tap bottom of tin with a knife handle and the buttered scotch will break into pieces.

PEANUT TART.

Use above recipe and place shelled peanuts in pan before pouring in the mixture. Other nuts can also be used or a combination of different varieties. If a rich nut-candy is wanted place a thick layer of nuts in pan and pour on just enough syrup to hold together.

NUT BRITTLE.

Use above recipe, but just before pouring the hot mixture on stir in a good pinch of soda. This makes it less glassy.

of the Misses Alma and Erma Collier, 412 S. Lafayette st.

The Women's Missionary society of Westminster Presbyterian church held a pleasant meeting Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Arthur E. Beyrer, 1004 Woodward av. The program consisted of several readings and a review of the second chapter of the text, "A New America," by Mrs. Ed Strickler. During the business meeting the society decided to give a Christmas dinner to some needy family and planned for a thimble to be held the latter part of January at the home of Mrs. Elmer Strayer of Portage av. The next regular meeting will be in one month at the home of Mrs. Frank Cheeley, of Forest av.

FARM SCHOOL TO BE HELD AT LAKEVILLE

With the co-operation of the State Dairy association, county farm experts, J. S. Lardner of St. Joseph county and C. L. Coffeen of Elkhart county will open a farmers' school at Lakeville next Tuesday morning. The school will last for three days, one day devoted entirely to classes under the supervision of the dairy association.

Agent Bordner will open Tuesday morning's session with a lecture on "What Is Soil?" followed by a talk by Agent Coffeen. At each session the two experts will hold classes in which they will attempt to solve any problems the farmers of that locality will have to present for advice. The program will be practically the same that was held in the three days' school just closed at Osceola.

On Thursday morning the feature of the school will be a cow judging demonstration by Prof. Caldwell of Purdue university. In the afternoon Prof. Caldwell will address the farmers on "How to Secure Money Making Cows."

PUPILS GIVE RECITAL

Violin Solos by Edward Motts Feature of Program.

The pupils of Miss Elva Linard gave a piano recital Thursday evening at her home, 811 Cleveland av. A feature of the program was the violin solos by Edward Motts. Those who took part were: Dorothy Haselbeck, Ruth Smith, Nellie Hicks, Zella Smith, Iva Wilkeson, Freda Krah, Edna Wilkeson, Esther Krah, Marie Coleman, Louise Krah, Bertha Arnold.

BIRTHS.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pierce, 534 N. Hill st., a daughter, Dec. 12. To Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Jennings, 1322 E. Duball av., son, Dec. 9.

DISPENSARY TO TEACH MOTHERS

Women of First Christian Church to Conduct Classes in English Language.

To help the foreign mothers to learn the English language as the fathers and brothers have opportunity of doing is the mission which the C. W. B. M. of the First Christian church has taken upon itself. Arrangements to do so were made at a meeting held at the home of Mrs. J. E. Donahue, 745 Vista av., as the result of a talk by Miss Olive Bailey, nurse at the Children's dispensary, on the necessity of education among the mothers.

A class in English will be organized Wednesday at the dispensary, following the regular clinic and will meet each Wednesday following. Mrs. H. M. Appleman, who formerly taught in the Laurel school and is familiar with the desire of the mothers for education, has volunteered her services as teacher and she will have several assistants, also volunteer workers.

Another interesting matter which came up before the society was the work in music which Mrs. Frances Harrington is doing at the Orphans' home. Mrs. Harrington gave an interesting account of the two evenings which she spends among the children each week. By means of charts she has taught them the keys of the piano and how to read music and now gives individual lessons of five minutes each to the 75 children in the home. It is impossible for her to do all the work alone now and she hopes to find others to assist.

The program was followed by a pleasant social hour during which light refreshments were served by the hostesses assisted by Mrs. C. P. Ducomb, Mrs. Clifford Snell, Mrs. Clifford Ducomb, Mrs. W. J. Nikart and Mrs. M. Ball. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. A. B. Staples, 218 Bartlett st.

TELLS OF JOURNEYS TO AFRICAN COASTS

Ernest Peach, Who Served as Officer on Carthage, Speaks at Perley Civic Meeting.

A trip to New Zealand and towns along the South American and African coasts, made while he was third officer of the steamship Carthage in 1885, and a description of the life aboard ship, was the theme of Ernest Peach in an informal talk before the Perley Civic club Friday night. Of particular interest was his description of a typhoon and heavy gale in the southern waters of the Indian ocean. The customs, habits, and life of the people of the Canary islands, the Madeira islands, and life in and about Cape Town were dwelt upon in detail by Mr. Peach, and since the scenes described were personal experiences of the speaker, the interest of his audience was great. He told of the island of St. Helena, the castle in which Bonaparte was held a captive, and from there he took his hearers into the very heart of the wild New Zealand country, giving a description of the people of that section.

At the next meeting of the Perley Civic club Mr. Peach will talk upon a trip made by him to the East Indies.

ORDER NAMES OFFICERS

W. D. Hindman Commandant of Patriarchs Militant.

Canton South Bend, No. 3, Patriarchs Militant, I. O. O. F. elected the following officers for the ensuing year at a meeting held in the Odd Fellows hall Friday night: Commandant, W. D. Hindman; lieutenant, J. H. Canan; ensign, W. W. Leach; clerk, H. Hildebrand; accountant, E. L. Mossey; degree master, J. H. Canan.

FRESHMEN ENTERTAINED

First Year Class Holds Dance at High School Building.

The freshman class made their debut in social activities at the high school at a party held Friday afternoon in the gymnasium of the school. Over 10 freshmen attended and pronounced it a decided success. Following a grand march games were

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Santa Claus is greeting the kiddies in Robertson's Toyland. See him to-

night. Hand him your letters or post it in his mail box on the first floor at the elevator. See Robertson's. Adv't.

BOYCOTT ON EVELYN.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 13.—The leading women's clubs of Louisville have announced a boycott on Evelyn Thaw, booked to appear at a local theater Dec. 21.

HANSH SENTENCE POSTPONED.

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—Because Federal Judge Mack is in New York Saturday, the sentencing of Otoman Zardusht Hanish, high priest of the sun cult, convicted of sending obscene matter by express, was postponed until Monday.

SOMETHING ON HIS MIND. CORNING, N. Y., Dec. 13.—Just as a postal inspector Saturday began examining the books of the postoffice at

Cameron Mills, Steuben county, James A. Smith the postmaster, shot himself.

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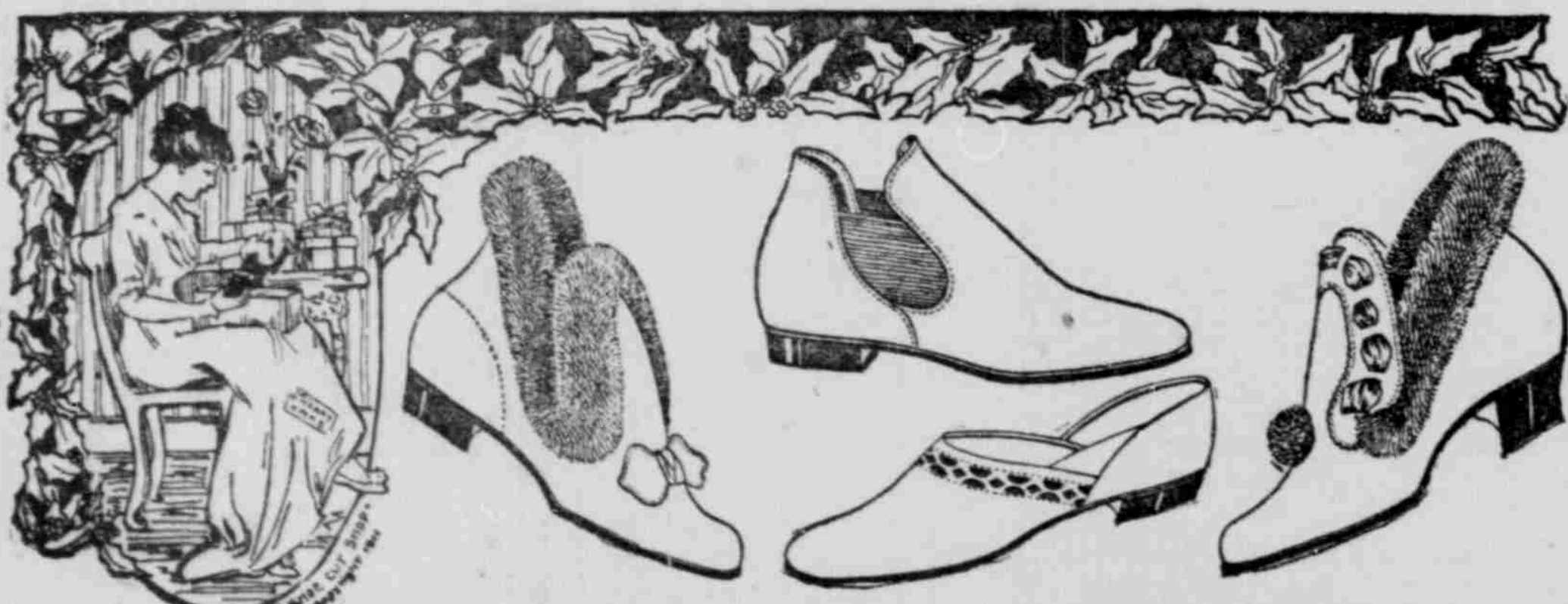
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